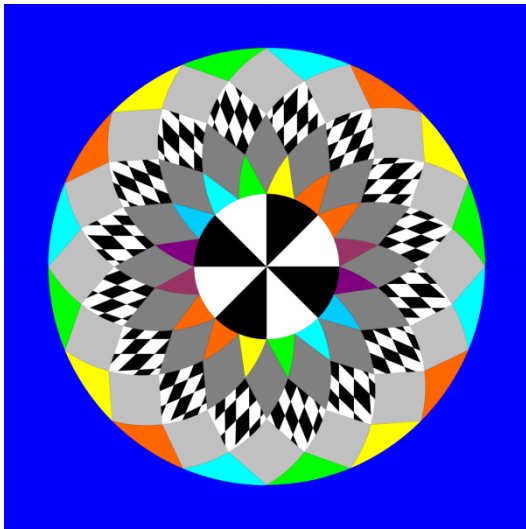


Fabric Requirement for the ‘Rainbow Round the Year’ Quilt

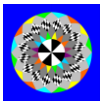


The measurements given in the first table are for fabric requirement for **16 circles** that are inset into squares to make up the quilt. (Measurements for the background fabric are given in a different table.) In India, most fabric is available in 34” – 36” width, so I give that requirement in the last column.

Fabric for 16 circles

Colour	Fabric 40-44” width	Fat quarters 18” x 20”	Fabric 34- 36” width
Black solid	1/4 yard	1 FQ	25 cms
White solid	1/4 yard	1 FQ	25 cms
Cobalt/ bright/ sky blue	2 yards (You could also take two shades of same blue - 1 yard each)	8 fat quarters	2 metres
Dark Grey solid	1 1/2 yards	6 fat quarters	1.5 metres
Light Grey solid	1 1/2 yards	6 FQs	1.5 metres
*Black and white print/s	2 yards	8 FQs	2.5 metre
Solids (scraps will do) in at least 8 bright/ neon colours across the spectrum – except sky blue	Assorted, totalling up to 1 yard	½ FQ (1 fat eighth) each colour	Assorted scraps totalling up to 1 metre

- Suggested : Modern geometric / text small –medium sized black and white prints



Background fabric

This gives the total fabric requirement. If you plan to use 2 or more fabrics, the yardage would need to be adjusted accordingly. *You could use white, black, grey/s or blue (same blue as used in the circle). You could purchase the background fabric once you have all the circles done. Since these circles have a modern look, a modern setting with lots of negative space would probably look good.*

	42-44" width	34"-36" width	Fat quarters
Single 18" Block	12.5" X 20" or 25" X 10"	1 fat quarter (cut 20" X 12.5")	1 fat quarter (cut 20" X 12.5")
16 blocks (72" x 72" quilt without border and sashing)	3 yards	3.5 metres	16 fat quarters
16 blocks (90" x 90") Including borders and sashing	5.5 yards	6 metres	

I have given above the requirement for a single block, so that if you plan making fewer blocks, you can do your own calculations!

Backing and batting

Backing fabric	42-44" width	34"-36" width	Batting
16 blocks (72" x 72" quilt without border and sashing)	4 ½ yards	6.75 metres	80" x 80"
16 blocks (90" x 90") Including 4" overage	7.5 yards	7.5 metres	100" x100"

Batting

If you are buying pre-cut batting, you would need Double/ Full size batting for the smaller quilt and King Size for the bigger one.

Binding

2.5" wide binding	Length of binding required	42-44" width fabric	34"- 36" width fabric
16 blocks (72" x 72" quilt without border and sashing)	300 inches length	5/8 yard (55 cms)	65 cms
16 blocks (90" x 90") Including borders and sashing	370 inches length	¾ yard (70 cms)	75 cms